Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the undersigned counsel for Defendants Brokerage & Management Corp. and Trade & Transport, Inc. hereby states that neither company has any corporate parents and that neither company is publicly traded.

Dated: October 8, 2004 New York, New York

> The Defendants, Brokerage & Management Corp. and Trade & Transport, Inc.

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